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- 4. Statement Accompanying Submission Of Sequence Listing Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(g) prepared by Consultant;
- 5. Petition For a One Month Extension of Time [included in this paper];
- 6. Notice of Appeal;
- 7. Check for fees for Petition for Extension of Time and Notice of Appeal; and
- 8. A return receipt postcard.

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME; 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

This is a petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for a total period of one month from June 26, 2002, to July 26, 2002, to respond to the Final Rejection mailed on March 26, 2002.

Applicants also conditionally petition for a further extension time to provide for the possibility that such a petition is required.

Applicants believe no fees are due for excess claims; however, if for any reason, a fee paid is inadequate or credit is owed for any excess fee paid, you are hereby authorized and requested to charge Deposit Account No. 04-1105.

Respectfully submitted,

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